

# *Finch & C<sup>o</sup>*



## A FINE JAPANESE 'MENPO' FROM THE EDO PERIOD

ARUSSET LACQUERED 'MENPO'

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THE IRON ARMOUR MASK WITH FINELY FORMED PRONOUNCED CHIN AND CHEEKS WITH DETACHABLE NOSE

BENEATH THE CHIN THE FOUR PLATE RUSSET LACQUERED THROAT PROTECTOR HAS GREEN MILK LACING, THE INTERIOR OF THE MASK LACQUERED RED

IRON, LACQUER, SILK

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SIZE: 22CMHIGH, 19.5CMWIDE, 14CMDEEP - 8 $\frac{1}{4}$  INSHIGH, 7 $\frac{1}{4}$  INSHIGH

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